Curriculum Vitae

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Admissions

Admitted as a barrister May 2019
Admitted as a solicitor February 2015

Professional History

May 2019 – Present

- Barrister, Sixth Floor Selborne Wentworth Chambers
 - I accept briefs in a wide variety of areas, with a particular focus on commercial disputes, administrative and constitutional law, class actions and tax.
- Author, with Neil Williams SC, *Learning to Litigate*, published by Federation Press (2022).

March 2016 - April 2019

- Solicitor, King & Wood Mallesons
 - o Dispute Resolution, specialising in financial services litigation, regulatory investigations, class action disputes, large-scale corporate disputes and administrative law.

February 2017 – December 2017

• Teaching Fellow in Law, University of New South Wales

January 2015 – February 2016

• Associate to the Hon Virginia Bell AC, High Court of Australia

January 2015 - July 2015

• Sessional Tutor in Law, Australian National University

August 2014 – December 2014

• Law Graduate, King & Wood Mallesons

Education

2013 -2014

- Bachelor of Civil Law (Distinction) (Oxon)
 - o Subjects: Conflict of Laws, Civil Procedure, Constitutional Theory, Medieval Legal History
 - Law Faculty Prize for the best paper in Legal History
 - Myers Scholarship, Christ Church, Oxford; Charles Herbert Currey Memorial Scholarship,
 University of Sydney; Postgraduate Research Travelling Scholarship, University of Sydney

2014

• Graduate Diploma of Legal Practice (ANU)

2008 - 2013

- Bachelor of Laws (Hons I) (University of Sydney)
 - o Sir Dudley Williams Prize (2nd in law graduating class)
 - o Rose Scott Prize for Proficiency at Graduation by a Woman Candidate; Nancy Gordon Smith Prize for Honours at Graduation; Dean's List
 - o Prizes for Equity, Corporations, 4th year commencement, 2nd year, and Academic Merit

2008 - 2011

- Bachelor of Arts (Hons I, University Medal) (University of Sydney)
 - Majors in History and Physics; Honours in Physics.
 - o Astronomical Society of Australia, Bok Prize (Best Honours / Masters thesis in Australia)
 - Other prizes for physics, philosophy, Dean's List, Best commencing female undergraduate, Australian Students Prize

Recent illustrative matters as a barrister

Commercial		
ALS Ltd & Anor v KPMG Financial Advisory Service (Australia) & Anor – 2020/00063749 (NSWSC, settled)	Professional negligence – for the respondents	Led by P Herzfeld SC
ASIC v Latitude Finance Australia & Anor NSD843/2022 (FCA, reserved)	Civil penalties – for the plaintiff.	Led by N Sharp SC, with S Speirs
Commonwealth v Otsuka - NSD121/2012, NSD837/2015 (FCA reference, reserved)	Damages undertaking – for the respondent	Led by S Nixon SC and S Fitzpatrick
Giabal v Gunns Plantations [2023] NSWSC 201 (settled)	Class action – for the 10 th and 11 th defendants	Led by M Darke SC, J Arnott SC and J Entwisle
Greentree v JLRA - NSD1010/2022 (FCA, ongoing)	Class action – for the respondent	Led by M Darke SC and IJM Ahmed SC
In the matter of Showground Corporation Pty Ltd [2022] NSWSC 1491	Statutory demand – for the defendant	Unled.
Katz & Anor v Epoch & Anor - 2021/284014 (NSWSC, settled)	Contract / corporations – for the respondents	Led by D Thomas SC
Leffanue v Southern Cross Community Healthcare [2020] FWC 3122	Employment – for the respondent	Unled
Leo Toner v CuDeco & Ors VID176/2022 (FCA, ongoing)	Class action – for the 4th respondent	Led by R Higgins SC and K Loxley
Moira Shire Council & Anor v JLT Risk Solutions [2024] VSC 4 (VSC; settled)	Class action – for the respondent	Led by MJ Darke SC, IJM Ahmed and J Findlay

Ozcan v Macarthur Disability Services [2021] NSWCA 56	Workers' compensation – for the respondent	Led by P Herzfeld SC
QIC & Ors v Wadren & Ors S ECI 2023 05073 (VSC; ongoing)	Professional Negligence – for the 4th defendant	Led by P Herzfeld SC
Quirk v Suncorp & Ors [2022] NSWSC 1457 (settled)	Class action – for the 3rd respondent.	Led by F Roughly
Re Rinehart: 2020/142504 (No 2) [2021] NSWSC 364	Trusts – for the first respondent	Led by D Thomas SC and D Hume
Re Sun Cable [2023] NSWSC 1037	Contract.	Led M Izzo SC
Richmond Valley Council v JLT Risk Solutions [2022] NSWSC 1761	Class action – for the respondent	Led by MJ Darke SC, IJM Ahmed and J Findlay
T Fuller & Anor v Allianz Australia & Anor - S ECI 2020 02853 (VSC, ongoing)	Class action – for the respondents	Led by C Caleo QC, T Warner and P Holmes
Wills & Anor v Woolworths Group Ltd [2022] FCA 1545 (settled)	Class action – for the respondent	Led by J Kirk SC and N de Young SC, with H Atkin

Public

Al-Dmoor & Anor v MICMA 909; then [2023] FCA 663	[2020] FCCA	Migration – for the respondent	Unled
Australian Broadcasting Corp (2020) 377 ALR 711	o v Kane (No 2)	Administrative law – for the respondents	Led by N Williams SC and C Winnett
Chamoun v MICMMA [2019] then (2020) 276 FCR 75 (FC) HCASL 200	•	Migration – for the respondent	Led by P Herzfeld SC
Drumgold v Board of Inquiry [2024] ACTSC 58	& Ors (No. 3)	Judicial Review – for the 3 rd defendant	Led by Kate Eastman SC
ENT19 v MHA & Anor (2023 [2023] HCA 18) 97 ALJR 509;	Migration / constitutional law – for the respondents	Led by S Lloyd SC, with J Wherrett
Filetron v Innovate & GMC [NSWLEC 45; then [2024] NS	_	Judicial Review – for the 2 nd respondent	Unled
Islam v DG – ACTCA 45 of 2	2022 (reserved)	Judicial Review / HRA	Unled
Lendlease Building Contractor Building and Construction Co (2022) 175 ALD 415; [2022]	ommissioner	Judicial Review – for the intervenor	Led by N Williams SC
National Home Doctor Service (2020) 276 FCR 338; (2020) 3		Administrative law – for the respondent	Led by G Kennett SC and D Hume

Nkani v MICMMA [2022] AATA 1239	Migration – for the respondent	Unled
<i>NSW v Randall & Ors</i> – NSWCA proceeding CA 00271325-002 of 2023 (reserved)	Tort – for the appellant	Led by H Younan SC
NZYQ v MICM & Anor (2023) 97 ALJR 1005; [2023] HCA 37	Constitutional law – for the respondents	Led by S Donoghue SC, P Herzfeld SC and Z Heger.
Palmer v Western Australia [2021] HCA 5	Constitutional law – for the Attorney-General of the ACT	Led by P Garrison SC and H Younan SC
<i>Plaintiff S111A v MHA</i> [2022] FCA 329; then (2023) 296 FCR 639; then S31/2023	Judicial review – for the respondents, then appellants	Led by P Herzfeld SC
PKCW v Australian Community Pharmacy Authority [2024] AATA 184	Pharmacy – for the respondent.	Unled
<i>SQHG v MICMMA</i> [2022] AATA 2810	Migration – for the respondent	Unled
Star v NSW Commissioner of Police [2022] NSWSC 153	Judicial review – for the respondent	Led J Emmett SC
Star v NSW Commissioner of Police - NCAT 2022/249166 (reserved)	Merits review – for the respondent	Led by Z Heger
SZRWS v MICMMA and Ors – [2022] FedCFamC2G 447; then (2023) 297 FCR 589 (FC); then [2023] HCASL 150	Administrative law – for the respondent	Led by P Herzfeld SC
Vunilagi v The Queen & ACT (AG) (2021) 17 ACTLR 72; followed by [2023] HCA 24	Constitutional Law – for the Attorney-General of the ACT	Led by P Garrison SC and H Younan SC
Yara AB v Minister for Industry, Science and Technology & Anor (2022) 177 ALD 192	Judicial Review – for the applicant	Led by A Mitchelmore SC
Vanderstock v Victoria [2023] HCA 30	Constitutional Law – for the Attorney-General of the ACT	Led by P Garrison SC and H Younan SC
<i>YFLK v MICMA</i> [2022] AATA 2891; then NSD845/2022; then [2023] AATA 2218.	Migration – for the applicant	Unled
Tax		
JLVK v FCT AAT 22/1412 (settled prehearing)	Taxation – for the respondent	Led by D Thomas SC
Shell Energy Holdings Australia Limited v FCT [2021] FCA 496; (2022) 288 FCR 193.	Taxation – for the respondent	Led by A Musikanth SC and C Pierce
Southern Cross Community Healthcare Pty Ltd v CCSR [2021] NSWSC 1317	Taxation – for the applicant	Led by E Collins SC and C Burnett SC
<i>Uber v CCSR</i> - 2021/307779 (NSWSC, ongoing)	Taxation – for the respondent	Led J Hmelnitsky SC/ Stefan Balafoutis SC and D Mitchell

Other Qualifications / Memberships / Volunteer Positions

- Member, Bar Association of NSW, 2019 present
- Member, Australian Association of Constitutional Law, 2016 present
- Member / Graduate, Australian Institute of Company Directors
- Council Member / Deputy Chair, Tara Anglican School for Girls, 2016 present
- Certificate in Theology (Hons I) (Moore Theological College) (2013)
- Various leadership positions, Macquarie Anglican Churches